HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ___

Introduced by: Frizzell

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring and commending Mr. John H. Hendley, Clan Elder, the Francis Marion Hendley Clan, branch of The Hendley Family Association, Inc. of Tennessee, on the occasion of his retirement, and 75th birthday, May 28, 2001.

Whereas, John Haydon Hendley, was born in the mid 1920's near Clementsville, Tennessee;

Whereas, John H. Hendley was the 54th person to join The United Methodist Church of Bowling Green, Kentucky, Warren County in 1942;

Whereas, John H. Hendley, settled in Johnson County, Indiana in 1943 and married Miss Opal Mae McWhorter of Clinton County, Kentucky on July 17, 1950 at the Christian Parsonage in Trafalgar. They had five children: Mr. William H. Hendley of Indianapolis; Mr. Fred A. Hendley of Morgantown; Mrs. Patricia A. Botts and Ms. Sharon E. Hagan of Franklin and Ms. Sheila K. Hendley of St. Petersburg,

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Florida;

Whereas, John H. Hendley and family lived at various places in Johnson County through the years from 1950 to 1967, and have since remained permanent residents of Franklin;

Whereas, John H. Hendley started working at Arvin Industries, Inc. of Franklin in 1954 and retired with 36 years of service on February 28, 1989. He was a member of Local 2993, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, AFL-CIO;

Whereas, John H. Hendley, during his working years, was a supportive parent of Troop 269, Boy Scouts of America;

Whereas, John H. Hendley and his wife were supporters of the Tennessee Monument Commission, Inc. of Tennessee and the Anita, Indiana Historical Marker project;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley supported Franklin College of Indiana, by arranging matching donations through payroll deductions at work;

Whereas, John H. Hendley, ascended to the honored position of Clan Elder of the Francis Marion Hendley Clan, eldest of his branch of the Hendley Family Association, Inc. of Tennessee on August 24, 1998 and was commissioned a Kentucky Colonel by Kentucky Governor Paul E. Patton on October 6, 1998 and a Tennessee Ambassador of Goodwill, by Tennessee Governor Don Sundquist on October 24, 1998; and

Whereas, John H. Hendley was honored by Mayor Herschel E. Cook on the occasion of the 175th anniversary of the founding of the City of Franklin, by declaring October 24, 1998 as Hendley Family Day in the City of Franklin; Therefore:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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SECTION 1. That the House of Representatives honors and commends Mr. John H. Hendley, a life long resident of the Hoosier state, for his contributions as a productive and conscientious member of society.

5 SECTION 2. That the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall 6 transmit two copies of this Resolution to The Hendley Family 7 Association, Inc., 3031 Mill Pond Lane., Silver Point, Tennessee 8 38582.

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